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### **Cranston Public Library offers Internet Safety and Privacy Class**

(CRANSTON, RI) The Cranston Public Library will be offering an Internet safety and privacy class. Learn the best practices for avoiding viruses, identifying spam, and protecting your privacy and safety online. This class will introduce you to some of the common types of threats you may encounter while online and while using email. The class is geared toward attendees who have basic computer skills and some familiarity with the internet. The Cranston Public Library is offering two sessions in conjunction with BroadbandRI on this important topic: Friday February 8 from 9-11am, and Tuesday February 12 from 2-4pm. Call [401-943-9080 ext. 6](tel:401-943-9080) or email [tech@cranstonlibrary.org](mailto:tech@cranstonlibrary.org) to register. These classes are FREE and open to the public. The classes will be held at the Central Library located at 140 Sockanosset Cross Road.

Broadband Rhode Island (BBRI) is an initiative of the Rhode Island Economic Development Corporation that works to create new opportunities by expanding broadband use and digital literacy across Rhode Island. The Cranston Public Library has been a partner in BBRI's digital literacy efforts since 2011. For more information please visit [www.cranstonlibrary.org](http://www.cranstonlibrary.org) or [broadband.ri.gov](http://broadband.ri.gov).

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